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REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION FROM 21 CFR 201.66

September 27, 2001

Docket # 98N0377  
Food and Drug Administration  
5630 Fisher's Lane  
Room 1061  
Rockville, MD 20852

To Whom It May Concern:

Regarding: Our request for exemption, dated July 6, 2001, for Becton Dickinson  
BACTEC™ Blood Culture Procedural Tray, Catalog 442000.

I am retiring from BD on September 30, 2001. Please address all future correspondence  
in this matter to:

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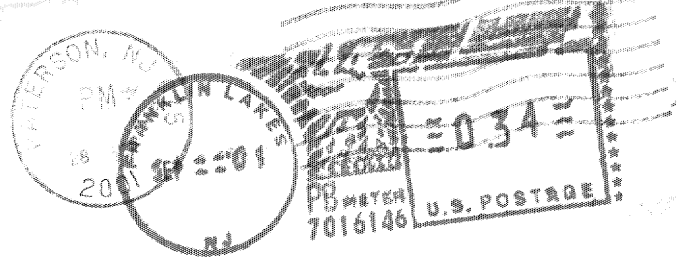
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